



The Trade-Development Nexus in Theory and History

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PROFESSOR RONALD FINDLAY will deliver the 13th WIDER Annual Lecture on 21 October 2009 at 15:00 at the Marina Congress Center, Helsinki on *The Trade-Development Nexus in Theory and History*. The lecture will explore the theoretical and empirical links between international trade and economic development over a wide range of space and time, drawing on models and ideas based on his previous work and that of others. Special attention will be paid to such topics as the spice trade, the Silk Road, the ‘triangular trade’ between Europe, Africa and the New World, and the causes and consequences of the Industrial Revolution. Finally it will make some observations about the current state and future of the world economy.

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